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MAGNETIC POWDER AND BONDED MAGNETS  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 3, 2004, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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